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Cara Leheny, a Divisional Deputy City Solicitor in the City of Philadelphia Law Department's Labor and Employment Unit, has been with the City since 2009. Prior to then, she spent several years practicing commercial litigation at large Philadelphia-area law firms.

The Labor and Employment Unit represents the City in all labor or employment matters brought by its employees. As a Divisional Deputy, Ms. Leheny assigns and supervises all labor matters handled by the Unit's attorneys. She also leads the Unit's team in collective bargaining negotiations and interest arbitrations. She works closely with the City's operating departments, commissions, and boards, providing counseling on a wide range of issues. Ms. Leheny also represents the City in matters before state and federal courts, as well as the PLRB and arbitrators.